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PROPOSALS FOR MINUSTAH

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(C) PolOff met with Lourdes Puma, MFA Director General of Multilateral Affairs, on September 25, and shared reftel objectives on MINUSTAH. Puma affirmed Ecuador's support of a one-year renewal of MINUSTAH's mandate and agreed that a focus on security should remain the main mandate, but added that increasing efforts in humanitarian and development assistance were needed. Puma noted that Ecuador is strongly committed to its development assistance for Haiti through its military Joint Staff Engineering Corps, in cooperation with Chile. She added that Ecuador's efforts have contributed to the building of an orphanage, schools, and roads in Haiti.  
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